

The Miner.

Prescott, Arizona Territory.
SATURDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 11, 1871.

MILITARY MATTERS.

A private letter, dated Drum Barracks, California, January 29, informs us that First Lieutenant E. W. Stone, A. A. G., of General Stoneman's staff, had reached the Barracks, from Prescott, and was about visiting San Francisco. It also assures us that General Stoneman intended to start for the Territory about March first. We wish he was here now, to direct movements against the Indians, who are more active than ever before. Then, our citizens would like to hear from him about the naughty things he is accused of having said in his report. By the way, the Legislature, and citizens of Tucson, have taken some action upon the General's report, and the Press of Southern Arizona have reported that action. Our citizens, too, feel sore over what the General has said regarding "exorbitant prices," "friendliness of the Indians," etc., but they are not disposed to condemn the General until after they have read his full report, which, as yet, has not been seen by them. We will have more to say upon this subject next week. Meanwhile, our confidence in General Stoneman's desire and ability to do all he can for this Territory, remains as firm as ever, and were it necessary, we would pledge life, yes, everything we have, that if he has done our people an injustice, which we think he has, he will, ere long, repair the injury.

It is rumored that the erection of buildings for headquarters will commence early next spring.

Colonel Frank Wheaton passed through San Diego, recently, on his way to Fort Yuma, to command there, perhaps.

From Tucson.

Private letters from Tucson tell us that a new county was likely to be formed from portions of Yavapai and Pima, with Phoenix as the county seat; that there was some talk of appropriating Territorial funds to raise a company of thirty men, to fight Apaches and Mexican outlaws; also, that the members of the Legislature had voted themselves extra pay. While we would not force the people of Salt River to live with us, in old Yavapai, we hope they will stay with us awhile longer.

APPOINTED.—Thomas Cordis, of this place, has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue, for the District of Arizona, vice Levi Bashford, resigned. At least so we have been informed.

VALUABLE BUTTON.—We are indebted to Washington French, of the Adobe Store, for the first silver button ever run out of Bradshaw ore. It—the button—weighs about half an ounce, and was got out of about four ounces of rock. Mr. French is a large owner in the Tiger, and has declared his intention to present us with the first silver brick which will be taken from his claim.

MAJOR SPRAGUE. of the Pay Department, U. S. Army, reached Fort Whipple late last week, and after paying the troops started for Camp Verde, shelled out liberally there, returned to Whipple, and is now on his way to California via the Mohave route. Major Sprague visited all the posts south of the Gila, as well as those north.

THE FIRST CAVALRY.—We very much regret the fact that this Territory is soon to lose the services of the companies of the First Cavalry now in the Territory; they having been ordered away. Our citizens owe much to the officers and men of these companies, and will always remember them kindly.

SHOULD HAVE MORE AND BETTER MAIL FACILITIES.—The people of Northern Arizona are in great need of more and better mail facilities, and we call upon those whose duty it is to make our wants known at Washington, to at once move in the matter. First of all, the people of this section need increased service over the route to California; then, a mail a week to Hardyville, via Camp Hualpai; another to Walnut Grove, which might, also, be extended to Bradshaw and other mining districts. Those whose duty it is to attend to such matters are well aware of our necessities in this matter, and our people expect them to attend to this matter for them. What say Postal Agent Dawley and Mr. McCormick.

For The Pinal Country.

V. A. Stephens informs us that Col. K. S. Woolsey was preparing to lead a party of 100 men into the Pinal country, to prospect for gold, silver, and copper-colored wretches. The party will start from Phoenix about the 10th of March next. Here is a chance for "loose-footed" gentlemen to explore the "Heart of Arizona," and, may be, thin the thick crop of Apaches.

M. RAYENA, of La Paz, Yuma county, is about to visit Europe.

Death and Burial of an Army Officer.

Again the painful task devolves upon us of having to record the death of a friend—B. R. Perkins, Captain of Company F, 12th U. S. Infantry, who departed this life Tuesday night last, at Fort Whipple, after a brief illness, during which he suffered considerably from gastritis, the disease which finally brought about the separation of soul and body. A few days previous to his death, he was in Prescott, attending to business and visiting friends, little dreaming that his Creator was about to summon him to appear before Him. Captain Perkins entered the Army at the time the first call for volunteers to participate in our late internecine struggle was made, and served through said struggle with distinction. He was, we believe, taken prisoner in Georgia, and confined at Charleston, S. C., for about three months, when he was exchanged. He came to this Territory about two years ago, and was stationed at Fort Whipple the greater part of that time. The fact of his having been mustered out by the Retiring Board that held its session at Washington recently, sorely depressed him, and, no doubt, assisted in prostrating him. Captain Perkins was a native of New London, Connecticut, and has relatives living there now. He was a true gentleman, beloved by the men of his company, to whom he was ever kind and just; courteous to his brother officers, and affable to all. His remains were accompanied to the grave, Thursday last, by Col. C. W. Foster, Surgeon P. Middleton, Lieutenants King and Sherwood, Company F of the 12th Infantry, L of the 3d Cavalry, a large body of Master Masons of Azatlan Lodge, and numerous ladies and gentlemen of Prescott, and were deposited in the Masonic Cemetery, with Masonic and military honors, accompanied by solemn strains of music. The funeral pageant was the largest ever witnessed in Prescott.

Immediately after the funeral services, Azatlan Lodge, No. 17, P. & A. M., assembled in their Hall and adopted the following

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty Father of the Universe, to remove by the hand of death, our beloved brother, BENJAMIN RICHARD PERKINS, from our midst; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we deeply mourn the loss we have sustained in the death of our dear brother, and tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved friends in their great affliction.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the friends of our deceased brother, and that a copy be furnished the ARIZONA MINER, for publication.

GEO. D. KENDALL,
H. BOWERS,
J. H. MARION.
Committee.

Letter From Camp Verde.

CAMP VERDE, Arizona,
February 1st, 1871.

To the Editor of the Arizona Miner:

Col. W. H. Brown, commanding this post, sent, this morning, a detachment of one hundred mounted men into the Tonto and Pinal country, with twenty days' rations, and directed the officer in charge (Captain Satorius), to visit the infantry post in that country, re-ratify his command, and continue on the war-path as long as possible. Lieut. E. B. Rheem, 21st Infantry, Ed. Peck, Messrs. Owen and Opdyke, also accompanied the command as volunteers. There is no doubt they will get a fight out of the red devil before they return, and it is to be hoped that many of the same may be numbered among the dead.

The arrivals this week were as numerous as usual. Among them were C. C. Bean, wife and child; Col. C. W. Foster, Q. M.; Geo. W. Bowers, Herbert Bowers, Mr. Pace, Capt. Dimpfel, with clerk, and other employees of the Government. The Captain, I understand, is to be the Quartermaster at this post, relieving Lieut. Morton, of the cavalry.

LIST OF PASSENGERS, ETC.—The following named persons travelled in the coach which arrived here Thursday evening last, from California, and points in this Territory: H. Richards, post trader at Camp Verde; Captain Fleming, U. S. A., and lady; Captain Byrne, U. S. A., Captain Crawford, U. S. A., from San Bernardino to Prescott. Mr. Bunker, Book-keeper of the Vulture Mining Company, came from San Bernardino to Wickenburg. E. Romeo, from Ehrenberg to Wickenburg. P. Drachman, of the firm of Goldberg & Drachman, Tucson, came to Prescott from Wickenburg. In addition, there were nine sacks of mail, so that the stage was well loaded down.

RICHARD & Co.—U. S. Adams, a gentleman who for many years past has been in the employ of this firm, arrived here recently, and has taken charge of their flour depot, on Goodwin street. Mr. Adams called on us one day this week, when we learned from him that nearly 60,000 pounds of flour will soon arrive here, which he will sell at the usual cheap rates. Mr. A. is favorably impressed with our mountain town, and has made up his mind to bring his family here from San Francisco, and become a permanent resident. The firm which he represents deserves the praise and patronage of consumers of flour for having reduced prices to a living standard.

Latest from the Seat of War.

European dispatches are to February first. The news is unfavorable to the cause of France. Germans had captured nearly all the defensive works surrounding Paris. Bismarck and Favre had met at Versailles and agreed upon an armistice, which is to last until the 19th inst. Emperor William had sent three million rations into Paris, and granted permission to re-victual it, so that he must have a dead thing on its speedy surrender. The Army of Bourbaki was on the Swiss frontier, and that of the Loire was retreating before the Germans. Yet, Gambetta still talked of carrying on the war, after the close of the armistice, and said he would then have 900,000 men to fight with. Peace was, however, expected, and it was the general belief that Napoleon the younger would be placed over the French, with his mother—Eugenie—as Regent. It also appears that Trochu has given up his command to Gen. Vinoy. The Red Republicans of Paris made a demonstration recently, but were dispersed, after they had fired into some Mobiles and Bretons. So stood matters at latest dates.

MUSIC.—Prescott is becoming quite a musical place. Scarcely an evening passes but some person—(oftener persons)—in our end of town employs the time "making music light and gay," and we rather like to hear them at it, even if the sounds produced are not sufficiently charming to "soothe the savage breast," or quiet the barking of tormenting dogs.

FROM CAMP VERDE.—Wales Arnold and wife, Messrs. Lerty, Tully and others, arrived from Camp Verde early this week, and returned again Thursday last. They took back with them four wagons, laden with provisions, farming utensils, etc. One of the party informed us that a party of citizens were recently fired on by Apache-Mohaves, at a point on the river above the post. The fire was returned, and the Indians skulked away. It is to be hoped that the troops now out in search of savages will be successful.

ON THE WAR-PATH.—The news is that the treacherous Hualpai Indians have thrown off the mask of peace worn by them for some time past, and are now carrying on their old business—robbing and murdering Americans. They opened the ball recently, near Willow Grove, by shooting five or six bullets at a poor white man, and running off several head of cattle.

Special Notice

Except parties come in at once, they will lose a rare opportunity of consulting a dentist. Dr. Cutler does not propose making a very long stay in Prescott. Don't be afraid, he can warrant good work, at reasonable prices. The insertion of Artificial Teeth made a specialty.

WICKENBURG.

MAGNOLIA BREWERY AND SALOON.

Wickenburg, Arizona Territory.

The undersigned respectfully informs the public and his old friends, that he is now manufacturing, and keeps constantly on hand, a superior quality of

LAGER BEER.

For Wholesale and Retail, in Bottles or Kegs. THE SALOON is well supplied with excellent Wines, Liquors, Cigars, etc., and contains

Two Good Billiard Tables.

The patronage of the public is solicited. m1468 A. H. PEEPLES, Proprietor.

BARNETT & BLOCK,

... DEALERS IN ...

Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, Dry-Goods, Boots, Shoes, Tobacco, &c.

WICKENBURG AND PHOENIX.

Sell cheaper than any other merchants in Central Arizona. nov20'67.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Reader, I, George Farness, keep hotel at Wickenburg, Arizona, and should you ever visit my town, and stop at my place, it will afford me unbounded pleasure to wait upon and accommodate you. Good, clean victuals, and charges moderate, are my watchwords. GEORGE FARNESS, Wickenburg, Arizona, Jan. 28, 1871.

FOR SALE, CHEAP.

A four-pocket Cason Billiard Table, which has been in use but six months. Apply to E. LANDSON, Wickenburg. Jan20'64

ANTELOPE RESTAURANT.

Curley Street, Fronting the Plaza.

The proprietors of this restaurant respectfully announce that they have thoroughly renovated their establishment, and will spare no pains in catering to the tastes of their patrons. Meals will be furnished at all hours of the day, and the tables supplied with game, and the choicest delicacies that can be procured. Everything clean and served up in the best style. NILES & GRIFFIN, Proprietors. Prescott, Jan. 21, 1871. 14

ARIZONA STAGE LINE

La Paz to Prescott.

Regular Weekly Trips. by Stage, with the Mail, will be made between La Paz and Prescott. A four-horse passenger stage will leave La Paz every Saturday, connecting with the stages on the California end of the line, from San Bernardino, arriving at Wickenburg, Mondays, and at Prescott on Tuesdays. Passengers returning will arrive at La Paz on Fridays, connecting with the stage for California that departs Saturday morning. Packages, &c., forwarded on reasonable terms. JAMES GRANT, Contractor. Prescott, October 2, 1869.

ARIZONA CITY.

W. B. HOOPER, } { A. H. WHITING,
San Francisco. } New York.

HOOPER, WHITING & CO.,

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JAS. M. BARNEY, } JOHN S. CARR,
Arizona City. } Arizona.

Our facilities for purchasing and arrangements for selling are fully completed, and we now offer to THE TRADE, a Full Stock of Merchandise in each department, comprising all articles required for, and salable throughout the Territory.

We sell at small advances, FOR CASH, and are positive that it is to the benefit of every Interior Merchant to buy of us—instead of in San Francisco or elsewhere—thereby avoiding the expense and annoyance of a long and tedious journey, and the loss of their months time necessary to receive their purchases, enabling them to increase their profits with the same or less capital invested.

Orders by letter receive our careful attention, the same as though the parties were themselves present.

In a word we GUARANTEE SATISFACTION in price, quality, quantity, and assortment of goods.

Currency and Bullion received at latest San Francisco quotations, or at account of owners, as may be desired.

HOOPER, WHITING & CO.

Arizona City, A. T., Sept. 1st, 1870.

PHOENIX.

W. B. HELLINGS, } E. B. HELLINGS,
C. H. GIBBS, } L. W. GROVER.

W. B. HELLINGS & CO.

San Francisco, California, (109 California St.)

Phoenix, Arizona,

Camp McDowell, "

Colorado Reservation, "

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, and general Army Supplies.

We keep constantly on hand, at our several stores, as large and complete an assortment of goods as can be found anywhere in the Territory.

We invite special attention to our stock of Agricultural Implements at Phoenix, consisting, in part, of Plowing Mills, Corn Shellers, Grain Cradles, Scythes and Reapers, Harrows, Potting Plants, Mallocks, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, &c., &c. Also a large assortment of every variety of Garden Seeds. JACOB

NEW STORE AT PHOENIX.

We have opened a store near J. W. Swilling's, and intend to keep on hand all kinds of

Groceries,

Provisions,

Dry Goods,

Clothing,

And a General Assortment of Merchandise.

WM. A. HANCOCK & CO.

Phoenix, A. T., Sept. 15, 1870.

PRESCOTT DITCH COMPANY.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned, under the name and style of the "PRESCOTT DITCH COMPANY," hereby give notice that they have, this day, located a Water Right and claimed four thousand (4,000) inches of the waters of Salt River for irrigating purposes, to be taken out on the south side of said river, on section 20, N. E. South; township 2, E., Range 1, North.

Five hundred yards of said ditch is now completed, and four thousand (4,000) inches of water, more or less, running in the same. We intend to run our ditch in a south-west direction, as fast as possible, and as far as we deem it necessary for farming purposes.

CLAIMANTS:

J. A. CROWTHER, N. W. BROADWAY,
C. P. CRAWLEY, W. SANDERSON,
V. A. STEPHENS, J. M. WILSON,
JOHN H. WALKER, W. BRIDGES,
Salt River, Yavapai County Arizona, Sept. 26, 1870. 10225-m3

PHOENIX STATION.

Phoenix, Arizona.

Hay and Grain, and the best Accommodations for Travelers.

The patronage of the traveling public is solicited.

E. K. BAKER.

Phoenix, August 20th, 1870.

NEW HOTEL AT PHOENIX.

The undersigned wish to inform everybody that they have just embarked in the business of accommodating the public, at their hotel, and will spare no pains or expense to do it well.

Good accommodations for man and beast, furnished at reasonable prices.

MCKINIE & CARPENTER.

Phoenix, Arizona, Jan. 26, 1871.

PRESCOTT.

NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS

Northeast corner of the Plaza.

MILLER & JASTRO

Respectfully announce to the people of Prescott and vicinity that they have just opened, and are ready to

Sell Cheap for Cash, or Produce, at Market Rates, One of the best assorted stocks of Goods ever brought to the country, consisting of

Groceries and Provisions,

Dry-Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

Hardware and Notions,

Tobacco and Cigars,

Wines and Liquors,

Crockery and Glassware,

Paints and Oils,

Glass and Putty,

Saddlery, &c.

We respectfully solicit purchasers to call and examine our goods and prices. MILLER & JASTRO, Prescott, January 14, 1870.

All kinds of STATIONERY at BARNARD & CO'S.

PRESCOTT.

D. HENDERSON & BRO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, Clothing, Dry-Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hardware, Tinware, Glassware, Crockery, Mining and Farming Tools, Paints, Glass, Oils, Putty, Stationery, Cutlery,

Confectionary, Perfumery, Guns, Pistols, Ammunition, Medicines, Children's Toys, Fireworks, &c.

They particularly invite the special attention of Farmers to their AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, consisting of all kinds of

Plows, Cultivators, Double Shovel Plows, Seed Sowers and Wheelbarrows, Also, of the trade, to their

Fine Stock of Liquors,

All of which they will sell lower than any other trader in Central Arizona.

Give them a call, before purchasing elsewhere. D. HENDERSON & BRO., Prescott, August 13, 1870.

WORMSER & WERTHEIMER.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Liquors, Crockery, Hardware, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.

CALL THE ATTENTION OF THEIR OLD

pioneer friends and the public generally to their new and splendid assortment of goods, recently purchased, by one of the firm, in San Francisco, and now on hand at their store in Prescott.

Give us a call and see for yourselves. We are not selling for fabulous prices, our motto is and has been, "Live and Let Live."

Merchants, farmers, miners and others, wishing to purchase goods, would do well to give us a call, before purchasing elsewhere.

M. WORMSER, A. WERTHEIMER.

Prescott, Arizona, February 1, 1870. 10150

ORIENTAL BAKERY AND SALOON

Next door to the Miner Office.

FRESH BREAD, PIES AND CAKES,

Always on hand.

GOOD BOARD,

Furnished by the Week, Day, or Meal, at the following prices:

The Week \$10.00
Single Meals One Dollar

OYSTERS, Sardines, etc.,

Served in good style, at all hours.

Good Lager Beer, Wines, Liquors and Cigars, kept constantly on hand, for the accommodation of customers.

DAN HAY, Proprietor.

Prescott, December 18, 1869.

PLAZA FEED AND SALE STABLE.

Goodwin Street, Opposite Plaza.

PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

THE undersigned, having purchased the Stable of J. D. Moulton, would respectfully inform the public, that they intend keeping constantly on hand

HAY AND GRAIN.

Of the best quality, and at the lowest rates, for Cash. Cattle, Saddle and Pack Animals always on hand for sale or hire.

GIDEON BROOKER, JACOB LYNN.

Prescott, October 24, 1868.

W. BICHARD & CO.

Have opened—at Prescott, a Flour and Grain Depot, in the corner of Granite and Garfield streets, in the building formerly occupied by Henderson & Bro., and will keep constantly on hand.

FLOUR,

(In 50 and 1000 sacks, warranted extra.)

CORN MEAL,

GRAHAM FLOUR,

SEMITILLA, (Shells)

PINOLA,

GROUND FEED,

GRAIN, ETC.

Which will be sold, wholesale and retail, at reduced prices.

Our Flour is made at the new mill recently constructed at Adamsville, which is provided with all the improved machinery of the day, and we have as good a mill as can be found on the Pacific slope.

NOTICE.—Should any gritty flour be sold in this market, the public may rest assured that we will not be chargeable therefor, as we neither manufacture nor sell flour of this character.

W. BICHARD & CO.

THOMAS CORDIS, Agent.

Prescott, December 10, 1870.

ARIZONA BREWERY AND SALOON

Next Door to the Post Office.

Excellent Lager Beer,

Of our own manufacture.

Imported Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Always on hand, and for sale.

JACKSON & BRO.

Prescott, October 2, 1869.

PIONEER STABLE

Granite Street, Prescott.

LIVERY AND FEED STABLE.

First class Saddle and Buggy Teams.

All stock in this Stable will be WELL FED and cared for. Plenty of Stable room and a large Corral.

Come and see us.

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